IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION.

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.529 OF 2006

Shri Harishchandra Satavaji
Gaikwad & Anr. : Applicants.

versus

Senior Inspector of Police,
Khadaki Police Station Pune
& Anr. : Respondents.

Mr.U.B.Nighot for the applicants.
Miss.S.V.Gajre, APP, for the State.

CORAM : V.M.KANADE, J.

DATED : 10th February 2006.

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1. Heard the learned counsel appearing for the applicants and learned APP for the State. The applicants apprehend that they are likely to be arrested in connection with C.R.No.6 of 2006 registered with Khadaki Police Station, Pune for the offences punishable under Sections 498-A, 302 r/w 34 of the Indian Penal Code.

2. It is submitted that Applicant No.1 is the father in law of the deceased and is 75 years old and is bed-ridden. It is further submitted that Applicant No.2 is the married daughter of Applicant No.1 who is permanently residing at Sharadanagar, Tandulwadi, Taluka Baramati, District Pune was not concerned in any way with his daughter-in-law. The learned APP, on instructions, has stated that the applicant No.1 in fact is bed ridden and 75 years old. Applicant No.2 is residing permanently in her father's house at Baramati and incident in question had taken place in Pune. Considering these facts and circumstances, in my view, a case for grant of anticipatory bail is made out and the applicants are entitled to be released on bail. In the result, in the event of applicants arrest in connection with C.R.No.6/2006 registered with Khadaki Police Station, Pune for the offences punishable under Sections 302, 498-A r/w 34 of the Indian Penal Code, the applicants be released on bail in the sum of Rs.5,000/- [Rupees Five Thousand only] each with one or two sureties in the like amount. Application is disposed of.

[V.M.KANADE,J]